

Year 3 + 4 – Reading Spine

Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Geog/ History	Anglo Saxons	UK	Vikings	Local Area geography	South America (Brazil)	Early Islamic civilization
Guided reading	<p>Sir Gawain and the Green Knight</p> 		<p>How to train your dragon</p> 		<p>The Explorer</p> 	
Literacy	<p>•Poetry – animals</p>  <p>*Non-chron report- Anglo-Saxons</p> 	<p>*Narrative- Quest story – Linked to guided reading text</p> <p>*Letters/Diaries – character from guided reading text</p> 	<p>*Persuasive text – environmental issue</p> <p>*Newspaper report – Vikings</p>  <p>*Biography linked to science</p> 	<p>* Instructions on how to train your dragon</p> <p>*Narrative- guided reading text</p>	<p>*Non-Chronological Report linked to animals of the Amazon Rainforest</p>  <p>*Narrative- guided reading text</p>	<p>•Poetry – narrative poems (The highway man)</p>  <p>Explanations linked to states of matter</p> 

Science	Animals including Humans	Electricity	Scientists – environmental science	Living Things and Habitats	Sound	States of Matter
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Story time texts

Key authors	<p style="text-align: center;">Jill Tomlinson</p> 		<p style="text-align: center;">Michael Rosen (poetry focus)</p> 		<p style="text-align: center;">Jacqueline Wilson</p> 	
Old + Gold						
New + Bold		 	  <p>*Graphic novel</p>	  <p>*Picture book</p>	  <p>*Picture book</p>	

